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(37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c))

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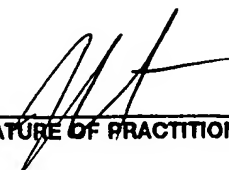
FILING OF SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT

1. On 12-10-04, a small entity assertion was filed in this
☒ application
☐ patent
2. On 11-27-06, applicant has now discovered that such status as a small entity was, in good faith
☒ established in error
☐ lost on _____, but through error the Office was not notified as required by § 1.27(g)(2).
3. Applicant hereby notifies the Office that it is not entitled to status as a small entity.
4. No further fees have been paid by the applicant in this application as a small entity.

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